

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS FOR REFORM NOW, et al.,	:	Civil Action No. 09-CV-4888 (NG)
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Plaintiffs,	:	
	:	
vs.	:	(Gershon, J.)
	:	(Bloom, M.J.)
	:	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al.,	:	
	:	
Defendants.	:	
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**STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE**

WHEREAS, plaintiffs state that ACORN and ACORN INSTITUTE are currently in bankruptcy proceedings, and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development previously determined that plaintiff MHANY is not an affiliate, subsidiary or allied organization of ACORN, and

WHEREAS, plaintiffs state that in light of the aforementioned facts, they do not desire to continue the present action;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED:

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), the parties hereby jointly stipulate to the dismissal of this action with prejudice. The parties will bear their own costs and fees.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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